

BASEBALL—SPORTS OF ALL SORTS—BOXING

Matty May Win Today—But How About Monday?

It is an even bet that the world's series will wind up this afternoon, with Connie Mack's Athletics champions of the universe for the third time in four years.

Christy Mathewson, with his tiring arm and his wonderful brain, is the only obstacle between the Mackmen and victory. Matty is an uncertainty. That he is even conceded a chance to beat the Macks is as remarkable tribute as can be dealt any man.

He trimmed them once, pitching with a strong arm. Today he must do the work with his brain, just as Bender did yesterday. He has only rested since Wednesday. Is that long enough to put him in shape to quell the American Leaguers for the second time in a week?

Mathewson is the only pitcher on the Giant staff who has proven effective against the Athletics. Marquard, Tesreau, Demaree and Crandall have all been clouted from the box. They had nothing deceptive.

Marquard came back yesterday and worked grandly after he warmed up to his task. But he was in a different position than on last Tuesday. Then he was in a fight. Yesterday he was stemming a rout, leading a forlorn hope. He had nothing to lose and everything to gain. There was nothing to worry him, as the game was already lost, and the Mackmen, content with their apparently safe lead, did not attack with viciousness.

Start the Rube again and he will receive the same treatment that was handed him Tuesday.

If Matty wins today McGraw will still be in desperate straits. Mack is certain to use a youngster and Plank will be ripe Monday. No man of sufficient worth is left in the Giant camp to face the Gettysburg Gunner.

Sox Art Outbatted and Outpitched By Cubs in Three Games.

RESULTS YESTERDAY

Cubs, 8; White Sox, 0.

Athletics, 6; Giants, 5.

Cardinals, 4; Browns, 1.

INTERLEAGUE BATTLES

Chicago Series.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Cubs	2	1	.666
White Sox	1	2	.333

World's Series.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Athletics	3	1	.750
Giants	1	3	.250

Pittsburgh-Cleveland Series.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	2	2	.500
Pittsburgh	2	2	.500

St. Louis Series.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Cardinals	2	0	1.000
Browns	0	2	.000

Game No. 4 of the city series will be played on the South Side this afternoon, and Callahan's men must win on their home lot to keep in the fight.

A victory for the Cubs and the series will practically be decided, as Evers will have his two star right-handed cards, Cheney and Humphries, in reserve, not to mention Jim Vaughn, who showed enough to warrant the belief that he can trim the Sox again.

Pierce and Russell are this afternoon's logical starters and the black-haired Cub should deliver. Not that we think Pierce is superior to the Rebel. We don't, but Pierce should be stronger against the Sox than Russell will against the Cubs.

In an emergency, Evers can shoot Corriden and Phelan into the game at short and second, giving him two strong right-hand batters, both of whom are especially able against southpaw pitching. Phelan has bat-